

Who is eligible?

You are eligible if you:

- Test positive for HIV
- Do not qualify for regular MaineCare
- Are within the income limits
- Sign a consent form (with the application) that states you agree to the rules for getting this benefit

If you have Medicare or other health insurance, you may still qualify. If you are currently enrolled in MaineCare, you **do not** need to apply for this benefit. All estate recovery rules apply.

How do I apply?

1. Request a MaineCare Limited Benefits application packet by contacting your **local DHHS regional office** (see the list to the right for a phone number and addresses), or a **Ryan White case manager**.

2. Return the completed application and proof of income for the past 4 weeks to:

Dept. of Health and Human Services
OFI/LTC Unit
35 Anthony Ave
Augusta, Maine 04330

How will I know if I qualify?

- We will send you a letter with our decision.
- If you are eligible, you will be sent a MaineCare card, which you must show every time you receive a covered service.

What is covered?

Some of the services covered include:

- HIV/AIDS Treatment and Counseling (including HAART)
- Medications
- Laboratory and X-ray
- Behavioral Health and Substance Abuse Services
- Physician, Physician Assistant, and Nurse Practitioner
- Hospital
- Case Management
- Family Planning
- Ambulance

Call MaineCare Member Services at 1-800-977-6740 if you need help with transportation to your MaineCare covered services.

How much will it cost?

You may pay:

- A monthly premium based on your income level (see chart below)
- A \$10 co-pay for each doctor's visit
- A \$10 co-pay for each medical prescription
- Other MaineCare co-pays

Benefit Premiums

Personal Monthly Income	Monthly Premium
Below or Equal to \$1,485	\$0.00
Between \$1,486 and \$1,980	\$34.22
Between \$1,981 and \$2,475	\$68.43

Who do I call if I have questions?

MaineCare HIV/AIDS Nurse Coordinator:

1-866-796-2463 ext. 44008
or 207-624-4008

MaineCare Member Services:

1-800-977-6740;

TTY Users: Dial 711 (Maine Relay)



For an application, call or visit a regional Department of Health and Human Services office.

Phone: 1-855-797-4357

TDD/TTY Users: Dial 711 (Maine Relay)

Augusta: 35 Anthony Avenue, Augusta 04333

Bangor: 396 Griffin Road, Bangor 04401

Biddeford: 208 Graham Street, Biddeford 04005

Calais: 392 South Street, Calais 04619

Caribou: 30 Skyway Drive, Unit #100, Caribou 04736

Ellsworth: 17 Eastward Lane, Ellsworth 04605

Farmington: 114 Corn Shop Lane, Farmington 04938

Fort Kent: 137 Market Street, Fort Kent 04743

Houlton: 111 High Street, Houlton 04730

Lewiston: 200 Main Street, Lewiston 04240

Machias: 38 Prescott Drive, Machias 04654

Portland: 151 Jetport Boulevard, Portland 04102

Rockland: 91 Camden Street, #103 Rockland 04841

Sanford: 890 Main St., Suite #208, Sanford 04073

Skowhegan: 98 North Avenue, Skowhegan 04976

South Paris: 243 Main St., Suite #6, So. Paris 04281

Is there other help for people living with HIV/AIDS?

Maine AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP):

207-287-3747

Statewide free HIV/AIDS medication program to cover prescriptions for people without any means of payment.

Ryan White Part B Services:

207-287-3747

www.MainePublicHealth.gov/hiv

If you have HIV and any MaineCare benefit, you should also have the **AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP)**.

This benefit can save you money.

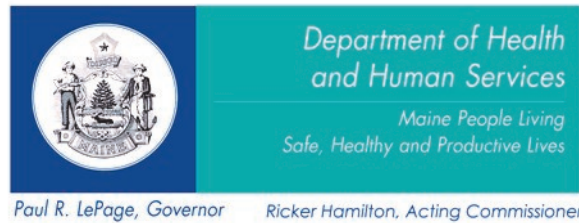
ADAP will pay MaineCare premiums for you and help with your medication co-pays.

Your ADAP coverage will not be affected by the HIV/AIDS Waiver.

It is easy to apply for the ADAP. Ask your case manager, or call this number:

207-287-3747

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Special Benefit Waiver (HIV/AIDS Waiver)



A MaineCare Benefit for People Living with HIV/AIDS



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